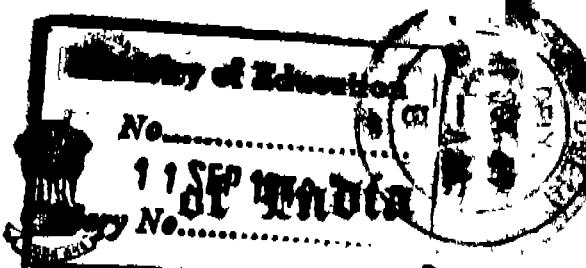


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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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RESOLUTION

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No. 11-T.P.(P)(1)/49.—It has been suggested to Government from time to time during the last few years that if an Indian Commercial Corporation is set up to undertake the import and export trade of the country, in respect of certain selected commodities or certain selected destinations, it might advance the economic interests of the country. But the arguments on which this proposal has been supported have changed from time to time, and such export study of the problem as has been made so far has not resulted in any unanimity of opinion as to the feasibility or soundness of the proposal. Devaluation of the Indian rupee has also brought this issue to the fore. The Government of India, therefore, consider that the proposal should be most carefully considered with reference to present conditions and future trends before any final decision is taken. They have accordingly decided to set up a Committee to examine the whole question with the following terms of reference:

“Whether having regard to present day conditions and future trends of India's international trade, it would be of advantage to set up a State-owned or State sponsored organisation for handling any sector of the foreign trade of the country. If so, what the structure of the organisation should be and what the field and scope of the activities of the organisation should be.”

2. The Committee will be constituted as follows:

Chairman

Dr. Punjab Rao Sham Rao Deshmukh

Members

1. Shri Prabhudayal Himmatsingka
2. Shri H. V. Kamath.
3. Shri B. P. Jhunjhunwala.
4. Shri S. V. Krishna Moorthy Rao.
5. Shri R. N. Goenka.

6. Shri N. Dandekar, I.C.S., Joint Secretary to the Government of India, States Ministry

Secretary

Shri U. L. Goswami, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Commerce Ministry.

Deputy Secretary

Dr. D. K. Malhotra, Assistant Economic Adviser to the Government of India.

The Committee will have power to co-opt as and when necessary representatives of other interests to attend its meetings.

3. The headquarters of the Committee will be New Delhi, and it shall meet as and when necessary. The Committee is not, however, precluded from sitting at other places if such sitting is considered essential for its work. The report of the Committee will be submitted to the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce by not later than the end of November 1940.

ORDER

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Provincial Governments; all Chief Commissioners; Ministry of External Affairs; and the several Ministries of the Government of India; Prime Minister's Secretariat, Cabinet Secretariat; the Private and Military Secretaries to His Excellency the Governor General; the Central Board of Revenue; the Auditor General; the Director General of Employment and Resettlement; the Director General, Industry and Supply; the High Commissioners for India in London, Colombo, Ottawa, Karachi and Canberra; the Indian Ambassadors at Nanking, Paris, Rome, Moscow, Tehran, Kathmandu, Rangoon, Cairo, Kabul, Ankara; Washington, Prague and Rio de Janeiro; Commissioner General for Commercial and Economic Affairs in Europe, Paris, Charge d' Affaires of India in Brussels; Envoy Extraordinary and Ministers Plenipotentiary of India, Stockholm, Lisbon, Bangkok and Berne; Consuls General for India in Batavia; Buenos Aires, Pondicherry, Saigon, Kashgar, New York and San Francisco, the Deputy High Commissioner for India in Lahore, London and Dacca; the Secretary to the High Commissioner for India in the Union of South Africa, Johannesburg; Agents of the Government of India in Kandy and Kuela Lumpat; Consuls for India at Saigon, Goa, and Jeddah; Vice Consuls for India at Medan and Zehedan; the Indian Political Officer, Sikkim; the Representative of the Government of India in Singapur; the Commissioners for the Government of India in Trinidad, Nairobi, Mauritius and Fiji; Head of the Indian Liaison Mission, Tokyo; Head of the Military Mission, Berlin; Indian Government Trade Commissioners in Toronto, Sydney, Mombassa, Colombo, Paris and Karachi; Assistant Indian Government Trade Commissioner, Dacca; Commercial Adviser to the High Commissioner in U.K., London; the Commercial Secretaries to the Indian Embassies at Alexandria, Rio De Janeiro, Rangoon, Tehran and Kabul; His Majesty's Senior Trade Commissioner in India; United States Embassy, New Delhi; the Canadian Trade Commissioner in India; the Australian Trade Commissioner in India; the Norwegian Consul General, Bombay; the High Commissioner for Pakistan in India, New Delhi; the Directors of Industries of Saurashtra Union, Rajkot; the Union State of Matsya, Alwar; the United States of Bindhya Pradesh, Rewa; the United State of Rajasthan, Udaipur, Gwalior, Indore, Malwa Union, Gwalior; Patiala and East Punjab States Union, Patiala; Editor, Journal of Scientific and Industrial Research, P-Block, Raisina Road, New Delhi; Indian Consul of Agriculture Research; Indian Standard Institution, Delhi; Free India Service, Tamrind House, Tamrind Lane, Fort, Bombay; the Economic Adviser to the Government of India; Economic Adviser to the Rajasthan Union; the Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta; the Secretary, Indian Tariff Board, Bombay; the Secretary, Industrial Finance Corporation of India, New Delhi; and all recognised Chambers of Commerce and Trade Associations.

ORDERED that a copy be communicated to the Government of Burma.

ORDERED also that it be published in the *Gazette of India*.

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